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Subject: 404 Assumption Presentation

Attachments: U.S.-Army-COE-PermittingKiel-Downing.pdf; CWA 404 NARD Leg. 2020 Final.pptx

Hi Kathy,

Nebraska has requested I co-present with them at an upcoming public meeting. It is a Natural Resource District Association Legislative Conference. The audience will largely be board members. I'm submitting my PPT for concurrence with HQ. The first 12 slides are mine, then beginning with slide 13 I turn it over to the State.

I would appreciate your review and concurrence. Also, I have a few specific questions to see if you have existing slides on. Specifically, slide 3. The State has asked if we have 404 history. I'm also attaching a slide from the Corps. The state is requesting something similar to Slide 4.

Slides 4-8 are identical to what you already approved before we met w/ Nebraska last month.

Slides 9 and 11 - I'm also looking for any information HQ may have pertaining to Assumable Waters (Section 10) language, and if we have anything describing the effort by EPA to engage more states in taking over the 404 program (history) and why this is a good fit for some states (I know, that latter part is hard! \bigcirc).

Thank you in advance for your assistance. I need to also coordinate with our OPA at R7, so if I could be chance have feedback by Wednesday of next week I would greatly appreciate it (but understand if it needs to be pushed back).

Thank you again -

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